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Referred to Committee on Planning and Development

Introduced by: (PD)

AN ACT CONCERNING REGIONAL PROPERTY TAX REVENUE SHARING.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 Section 1. Subsection (a) of section 32-742 of the general statutes is
- 2 repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (Effective
- 3 October 1, 2011):
- 4 (a) The board of directors of a regional economic development
- 5 district shall comply with the provisions of 13 CFR 304.2 and shall
- 6 prepare and approve a comprehensive economic development strategy
- 7 for the district to address identified economic development problems
- 8 in a manner that promotes economic development and opportunity
- 9 and housing availability, fosters effective transportation access,
- 10 improves workforce development, enhances and protects the
- 11 environment, balances resources through sound management of
- 12 development, and encourages responsible growth and development. A
- 13 comprehensive economic development strategy shall contain:
- 14 (1) An analysis of economic and community development problems
- 15 and opportunities, including incorporation of any relevant material or

- 16 suggestions from other government-sponsored or supported plans;
- 17 (2) Background and history of economic development in the district,
- 18 with a discussion of the economy, geography, population, labor force,
- 19 resources and the environment;
- 20 (3) A discussion of community participation in the planning efforts 21 for the strategy;
- 22 (4) The goals and objectives for (A) taking advantage of the opportunities in the district, and (B) solving the economic
- 24 development problems of the district;
- 25 (5) A plan of action, including suggested projects to implement the
- 26 goals and objectives set forth in subdivision (4) of this subsection;
- 27 [and]
- 28 (6) Performance measures that will be used to evaluate whether and
- 29 to what extent such goals and objectives have been met; and
- 30 (7) Provisions for sharing property tax revenue generated by new
- 31 economic development within the district, including guidelines
- 32 governing (A) the identification of those developments whose
- 33 property tax payments will be subject to property tax revenue sharing,
- 34 and (B) the manner in which such property tax revenue shall be
- 35 shared.

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:

Section 1	October 1, 2011	32-742(a)

PD Joint Favorable

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